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## PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
KAZUHIRO SUGAWARA ET AL. )  
Application No.: 09/888,547 )  
Filed: June 26, 2001 )  
For: IMAGE COMMUNICATION )  
APPARATUS, IMAGE )  
COMMUNICATION METHOD, )  
AND MEMORY MEDIUM )  
) :  
Examiner: Q.N. Nguyen  
TC/Art Unit: 2141  
Conf. No.: 9436  
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) :  
October 2, 2008

## Mail Stop: Amendment

Commissioner for Patents  
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## AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 2, 2008, the Examiner is requested to amend the above-identified application as follows and to consider the remarks made herein. The amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing beginning at page 2, and the Remarks begin at page 14.